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REMARKS

The specification has been amended to include the ATCC deposit information. A receipt from ATCC is attached. Claims 1, 9 and 48 have been amended to state the ATCC accession number. No new matter is included in these amendments.

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the foregoing amendments to the specification and claims.

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